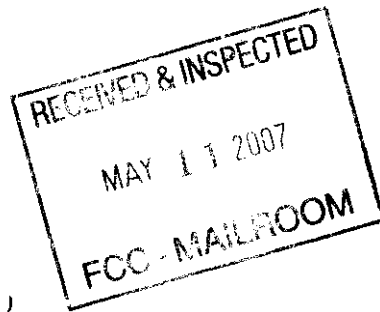


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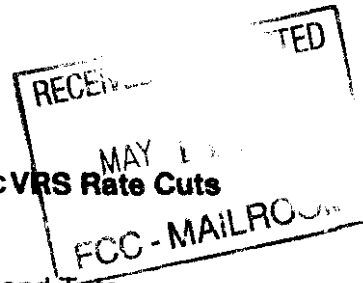
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Please help me to get cable TV in here very soon as you can. OK

Thanks
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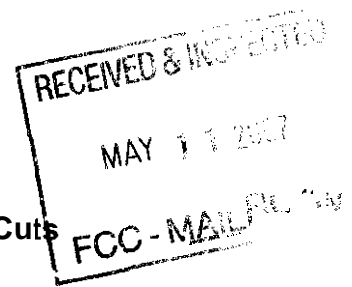
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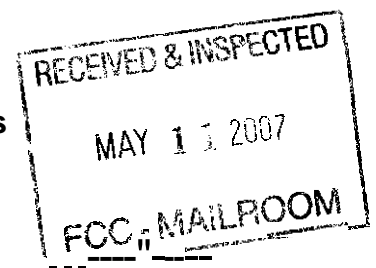
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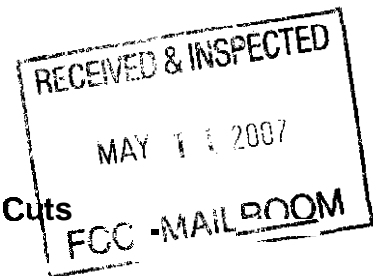
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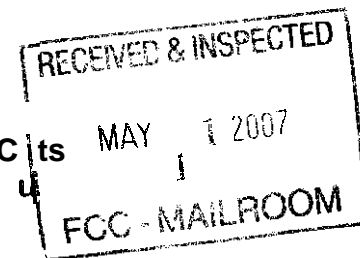
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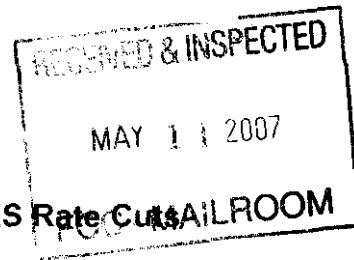
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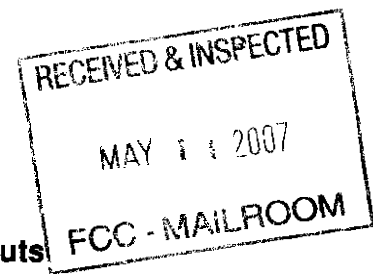
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